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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. SIC-03-026

By *Jan A. Meland*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

TAKANORI KANEHISA, et al

Application No.: 10/604,815

Filed: August 19, 2003

For: BEARING APPARATUS FOR A  
BICYCLE HUB

) Examiner: Thomas R. Hannon

) Art Unit: 3682

) RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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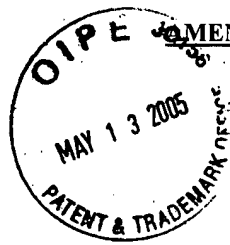
This is a response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2005. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**Atty. Docket No. SIC-03-026In re application of: **TAKANORI KANEHISA et al.**

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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
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Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.☐ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 with copies of cited foreign references.☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

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## SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x25=	\$
x100=	\$
+180=	\$
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$

OTHER THAN A  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x50=	\$
3x200=	\$600
+360=	\$
TOTAL	\$600

OR

☐ No fee is due.☒ Claims fee \$ 600☐ Extension of time fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_☐ IDS fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_☒ Form PTO-2038 for \$ 600 is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
**DELAND LAW OFFICE**

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